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The Honorable Chairwoman Granger Chairman, House Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Ranking Member DeLauro Ranking Member, House Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Southwest Innovation and Medical Gateway project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Grove City, at 5690 North Meadows Drive, Grove City, Ohio 43123. The funding would be used for an overpass that would provide economic benefits and job creation for Grove City. The overpass would also cause considerable community benefit through improved connectivity and new land uses to service residents, employers, and visitors. The overpass will result in development patterns that create more jobs and higher paying jobs than could be achieved without the overpass, resulting in more income tax generation to continue to provide exceptional services to residents, employers, and visitors.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the overpass provides convenient travel throughout the area, as well as makes the area viable for a diverse mix of land uses, which increases development square footage and employment opportunities, leading to more income tax generation. The project has a Federal nexus because of the funding provided for purposes authorized by Section 23 USC 133(b). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Mike Carey Member of Congress